

# WANTED

## BY THE FBI

Mail Fraud

### GERALD BERKE



Photograph  
taken in 2008



Photograph  
taken in 2009



Photograph  
taken in 2011

**Aliases:**

Gerald J. Berke, Jerry Berke

### DESCRIPTION

**Date(s) of Birth Used:** September 30, 1931

**Place of Birth:** Canada

**Height:** 5'7"

**Weight:** 200 pounds

**Hair:**

**Eyes:**

**Sex:**

**Race:**

**Nationality:**

Gray

Brown

Male

White

Canadian

**Remarks:**

Berke is believed to have fled from the United States to Canada. He has been residing in the Vancouver area (British Columbia).

### CAUTION

Gerald Berke is wanted for his alleged involvement in a ponzi scheme that defrauded approximately 500 investors out of more than 81 million dollars. From approximately 2003 until 2009, Berke allegedly used a company, GJB Enterprises based in Los Angeles, California, to solicit investors under the pretense he was operating a factoring business --- loaning businesses money that they needed for manufacturing and to finance accounts receivable. Investors allegedly were told that factoring business does better in a bad economy and were promised an 18% return on investments. However, Berke allegedly used investors' money to make payments to earlier investors and eventually stopped. Also, Berke is alleged to have paid for personal and business expenses using investors' money.

On January 21, 2011, a federal warrant was issued for Berke's arrest, by the United States District Court, Central District of California, after he was charged federally with mail fraud.

If you have any information concerning this person, please contact your local FBI office or the nearest American Embassy or Consulate.